# · SENATORS AWAIT **GUIDING HAND**

Loftus' Arrival Will Inaugurate Stiff Training.

### ORIOLES OFF FOR THE SOUTH

anton Americans Confident of Winning Pennant-Manager McGraw Will Remain in the Game-General Baseball

There is practically nothing new in the local baseball situation. Everything is at spended in the air until the arrival of Manager Loftus, who will reach here some time on Wednesday, Carey is the geveral more of the bunch are expected carly this week.

April I will inaugurate the hard work of the season. Loftus will be here and the members of the team will have also reported. Then there will be strennous times in the vicinity of Fourteenth and H Streets northeast. The Senators will be handicapped by nearly two weeks, in comparison with the other American League teams, and it will require some fast work to make up this time

#### Rival Teams Hobnob.

the train hearing the Boston Cas hals reached the Pennsylvania station Saturday, the first person through gates was suddenly grabbed by a young fellow, and as each man through he received an equally

earm greeting. For several days Gene remontreville had been counting the irs before his team mutes would arrive and he was at the station to welcome

"When the first indications of spring the their appearance," remarked Gene, I begin to have a feeling that can only a overcome by donning a uniform and iz a few stunts with the horsehide phere. I have already had a week of hard ork on the diamond, and when the teams ogin training next Monday I will be able in my share of the work without that are feeling the day after."

The two teams spent reveral hours in wandering around the city, renewing old requeintances and making new ones. there was a great deal of good-natured oilying between the members of the rival preprintions, and if all predictions comrue, there will not be either an Ameria or National League by the Fourth of

#### Collins Claims Pennant.

"Timmy" Collins is, to say the least extremely optimistic regarding the fate of the American aggregation. He has visions of bright, sunny days, fast bail, ing proudly over the Beancaters' done up Boston way. It is a pleasant pation, this building of air castles. and if the pennani cannot fly from the boal grandstand, there is no one the Washington fans would rather see get it than Jimmy Collins.

Manager Buckenberger is not quite so confident of securing the coveted banner in his league. The Boston Nationals have the appearance of a Kansas town after a social call by a cyclone. They have had things done to them during the fall and winter that makes the bunch took like three two magnates talked with Mr. James thirty cents, and there appears to be no thirty cents, and there appears to be no Hart, of Chicago, and Mr. A. M. Soden, of relief in sight. However, they are de-termine! to see what training can do, and the bunch will be hard worked for the Robison's statement is the result of an

### Orioles Flit Southward.

The steamer Hudson, which cleared for Savannah Saturday night from Baltimore, carried Manager McGraw and his flock of Orioles to the Sunny South. With one or two exceptions the entire Baltimore aggregation was on board, and those the courts in connection with the pending not report will join the team at

In regard to the reported retirement Manager McGraw, the "Baltimore ws" had the following to say Saturday ht: "Manager McGraw reached this night city from Hot Springs yesterday even-ing, and appears to be in his usual good form. His health was improved greatly by his trip to the famous resort, and if his knee is weak, as has been reported he gives no indication of it. He himself says that he is expecting no serious trou-ble from it, and if he is careful in sudden turns it is probable that any linger-ing weakness will soon disappear." The Ortole party was as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Mahon, Mr. and Mrs. McGraw.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, and their son Harry, Kelley, McGinnity, Howell, Fore man, Seymour, Dunn, Hughes, Williams Selbach, Gilbert, Bresnahan, and Edward Mackell, the colored rubber

### Captain Arrives Today.

The report is in circulation that Dela hanty will arrive in Washington this morning. Although the Senators are not ordered to report here until the last day of the month, the majority are expected to drop in most any time.

Word has been received from Coughlin and Lee that they will reach Washington the latter part of next week. Manning brings word that Lee is in excellent shape and will not require much time to get his (wirling apparatus into form.

### Diamond Dust.

Frank DeHass Robison says that the National League needs a president-"one with plenty of backbone." The only strange thing about this statement is that it comes so late in the game. Several thousand fans could have told Mr. Robison the same thing two years ago.

A strong pro-National man sums the situation as follows: "Pittsburg has the same strong team it had last year; Boston is little, if arr, weaker; the Chicagos cannot be much worse off than they were, and the 'Phillies' are hard hit.'

A rosy outlook, certainly, A rosy outlook, certainly.

It is a nasty, mean trick to call the
New York aggregation "The Collegians,"
Andy would do better if he could,

John T. Brush says that Cincinnati

surely will have a "baseball team" in the held this year. We are extremely pleased to have John T. name it. One would never think it was a ball team to look at it. After trying vainly for over six months

to induce the cream of the American League players to jump their contracts for this year, the National magnates are beginning to throw mud at their deserting players.

Work has been commenced on the

Chleago American League grandstand. The structure is to be greatly enlarged and new bleacher seats are to be added. From this it seems that Comiskey is pretty sure which way the patronage is this year.

There seems to be a slight discrepancy in the stories regarding "Dummy" Taylor. If what is claimed be true, "Dug-ny" is a most proficient exponent of Se-

Freedman cumpers, the wholesale descri-tion of players, and the general indige outlook, the metropolitan scribes seem to have their bands full. It is probable that Leon DeMontreville

his year. Lave Cross reports that his leg, which as injured last year, has completely re There has been some doubt expresses egarding the ability of Donahue to offi

iate behind the but without the aid of a Atlanta can even be called grasping.

wenty ball tossers have already been igned by the Southern city. The Western Association is after Zanes-He. Ohio, to complete its circuit. "Tornmy" Down has had the magnating huzzing near his top-piece for some time. Recently he paid a flying visit to

New London and made an alleged attempt to land that franchise. An optimistic Pittsburg scribe says that Chicago and Brooklyn have signed strong teams and will probably not take the

trouble of going after American League players. What a jar it will be when he wakes up! Jimmy Collins is going to try out a your fellow named Clancy, who halls from desirrly, R. I. The youngster has hope: of making good in the twirling de-

"Scoops" Carey is anxious for the sec ond and third basemen and shortstop to report. He says that it takes more than twenty-three days for a new infield to get together. "Scoops" is determined to make a good showing with the Semators this year, and Carey is training conscien-

There are many local fens who will regret the absence of Sammy Dungan from the Schatorial fold. Sammy was the life of the game last year, and even when the bunch was getting the hide walloped off them he managed to infuse a little ginger. Dungan will report at Cincinnati April 1. The Milwanker aggregation will do their the receiving end of a battery.

raining in the Ohio town.

A local fan, in discursing the chances of the local aggregation, said yesterday:
"The preliminary practice, if done on the
home grounds should consist mainly in
teaching the new Senators to slap the horsehide over the left field fence. little feat was a sinecure for the visitors last year, while the home team was too economical to risk the loss of the leather. Found it and pound it hard' should be their slogan. We can excuse a few errors if they will occasionally lose the leather."

## NATIONAL LEAGUE TROUBLES AT AN END

Frank De Haas Robison Says Fight Is Over.

Confers With Insurgent Leaders and Sends Out Rainbow of Promise-

Meeting in New York.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 23 - As a result of a conference with Messra. large gate receipts, and at the end of all Soden, Ebbetts, and Hart, I can say that large pink and yellow pennant, stream- all the differences of the National League will be laid aside, and that both factions will be represented at a meeting in New York next Tuesday. From now on we will work in harmony.

The above statement was made by Frank De Haas Robison tonight, and it clears up the National League situation onsiderably. Mr. C. E. Ebbetts, of the Brooklyn team, was in conference with exchange of views between the four mag-

#### nates. Fight Shy of Presidency.

Robison stated further that the matter of the league presidency would not be discussed at the coming New York meeting unless a decision should be rendered by litigation previous to April 1.

The meeting begins Tuesday evening, April I. and will be held in the Fifth Avenue Hotel.

#### CYCLIST HAS NARROW ESCAPE. Rider Hall in Peril on His First Trip Behind Motor.

Tommy Hall and Albert Champion, the antorcycle stars of the Kennedy combination, who are training for the summer ampaign at the Coliseum, at Fourteenth and East Capitol Streets, did some splendid work yesterday, both in the morning

The beautiful weather and the fact that the cycle stars were training brought out a gathering of wheel enthusiasts, who watched the boys follow the motor

The danger of this style of riding was vividly illustrated in the ninth mile of Hall's workout. The little Englishman was out to negotiate ten miles. He had just turned nine at an average speed of 1:42 for the mile, when he decided he would try and do the last mile at a much faster clip. De Rosier, his guide, turned on the speed lever, and the motor shot around the turn at a terrific gait. Hall hung to the machine, buried his head low and followed the motor as if he were

The spectators rose and started to cheer the plucky little rider for his splendid effort, when suddenly there was a loud report. The motor zigzagged around the track for about a minute. The spectators were frightened and many turned away, expecting the daring cyclist would be badly injured or killed. By good judgment and a cool head the motor was brought to a standstill in front of the judge's stand. Examination of the machine showed that the front tire had blown out and the wood rim ripped apart. This kind of an accident under ordinary circumstances would surely have meant

part of it.

rious injuries or death, but the cool head of De Rosier and of Hall avoided what might have been an unfortunate after. Yesterday's work was Hall's first attempt at pace following, and he showed plainly that he will be a success at the game, as he averaged 1:41 2-5 for the nin

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#### BASE HITS AND MUFFS. RACES AT BENNING

TO START TOMORROW Sockaleris, the Indian half player, ha Dunn denies the report that he has been gued by the New York bageball club.

A denial comes from the Windy City of he report that Umpire Jack Sheridan has igned an American League contract. Successful Dashes Over the Turf.

cear contract of \$12,000 to look after the New York team. The Robinson, of the Athletics, has usele a great hit with the residents of Thapel Hill by his aggressiveness and

Ontfielder Jones has jumped his Milwankee American Association contract to play with Denver in the Western League. John T. Brush has decided to remain a he head of the Cincinnati club for at leas

Josse Burkett says he declined a two

Milwaukee has signed Billy Hallman, a nephew of the Philadelphia infielder. The unior Hallman is an outfielder.

Henry Reitz, the ex-Oriole second base man, has loomed up in Spokane, where he will cavort around the second sack. John T. Brush is trying hard to land Parent, Jimmy Collins' clever p. A \$4,000 contract has been

Bey, Dobbs, and Crawford will do outduty for Cincinnati this They make a fast trio on paper and com-pare favorably with other National League outfielders.

Comiskey has decided to hold on to McFarland, who played left field for the White Socks last year. He will take care of the bench and water cooler while his teammates are chasing the ball.

The release of Hoy has set several managers scrambling to obtain his signature to a contract. He is still free and is evidently waiting until all the bids are in, and will then make his decision. Ned Hanlon will be a serious loser by

the desertion of McGuire to the Detroit American League Club. Mac is one of the best backstops that ever worked at The Toronto Baseball Club is soing to

charge ten cents admission to their prac-tice games this spring, and give the pro-ceeds to the Hospital for Sick Children. John T. Brush declares that he is going to accompany his Reds around the circuit this year, and that he will keep a keener eye on the players than ever before. There seems to be a possibility of Fred

Parent, the elever shortstop of last sea-son's Boston American League team, ac-cepting the invitation of Manager M. Phee, f Cincinnati, to report on April 1. Manager Loftus has made a strong effort to secure Hoy's services for the Washington team, but up to date Hoy has

new slabmer, is resting at his beme at Mexico, Mo. Though playing ball on the Coast in recent years, St. Vrain is a Mis-sourian by birth, and his family has re-

sided at Mexico for many years. Among his twirlers, Armour, of the Cleveland American League club, can now number five six-footers. Moore is exactly six feet; Lundboom is six feet one inch, Joss, six feet two inches; Vasbinder, six feet two inches, and Wright, six feet three

The Boston American League Club has signed Charles A. Clancy, of Westerly, R. I., a young pitcher, who is reported to be of rare promise. He is making his bow in professional circles, but reported to have more than an even chance to "make good."

It is said a schedule for the National League clubs has been arranged by Nick Young, and is now in the hands of the di-rectors of the league. As far as possible the dates have been arranged so as not to conflict with the American League sched-ule, the season to begin on April 17.

Manager Fogel, of the New York Giants. has signed Jack Dunn, McGraw's utility infielder, to play abortstop on the Polo Grounds. Anderson, who was originally slated for the position, has a good record, but Fogel was unwilling to take chances with a youngster when an experienced man could be secured. Five hundred del-lars is said to be the purchase price. This is the first instance of a club in one leagu doing business with another.

Hanton's name has been suggested as . candidate the National League. He has the experi ability, would hold the confidence of the players and public, and assuredly would not permit the interests of the league to suffer for lack of personal attention.

President Dreyfuss will not attend any recting called by the National League lagnates unless the call is signed by very one of the eight clubs. If the meetig is to be called, he suggests that it be eld next week, if his presence is wanted, s he is going South with the players, and does not desire to come North again. He will not take part in any meeting whereby it can be construed that the Freedman-Brush element have gained the ascendency.

### SPORTING MEDLEY.

A Prench team of fencers defeated an Italian team at London last Wednesday. The Yale golf team has won the inter-collegiate championship for two seasons, having lost only one game in that time

to college clubs. Tyler B. Kennedy, the owner of the yawl Sybarita, has challenged Kenneth M. Clark, the owner of the cutter Kariad, to a stormy weather race from Nice, France, to San Remo, for £8,000.

The challenge has been accepted. Commodore Robert E. Tod, of the At hantle Yacht Club, has set Saturday March 29, as the sailing day for his top sail schooner yacht, the Thistle, on which he will make a Bahama cruise.

The Yale faculty has decided that the law school nine shall play no games out-side of New Haven. For several years a trip South has been taken, similar to that the university nine.

Iver Lawson, the bicycle rider of Sal Lake City, has accepted a guarantee of \$2,000 for six races from May I to June and 10 per cent of the gate receipts rom Le Roy, manager Paris Velodrome. Frank J. Goull's Helenita will be the rst overboard of the fleet of steam yachts now approaching completion at Morris Heights. It is expected that she will be launched April 15.

Manager Climenson, of the University ennsylvania cricket team, announced last night that A. M. Irving, of the Merion Tricket Club, has been appointed to coach the Pennsylvania candidates. Irving is at English professional, who has been with the Merion club for a number of years. He will begin his work with the Pennsylvania men next Monday and coach then

### TRAINOR'S TURF BUREAU.

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### MANY IMPROVEMENTS MADE

Large String of Horses at the Track Assuring Splendid Fields for Various Spurts-New Arrivals - Difference of Opinion Over Raise in Prices.

Delightful weather and the prospect of eeing the borses work for future events to be run off at the coming spring meeting attracted large crowds to the Benning track yesterday. A more enjoyable day could not have been selected, and those who made the trip were amply repaid, as many fast trials were shown. Every stable on the grounds was represented, and while no phenomenal time was made, it was fast enough to convince anyone that the horses at Benning are not near so backward as trainers would have you believe. There are so many horses on the grounds of such good quality and class that large fields are assured.

With a contincance of fine weather there is not a particle of doubt about the cors of the meeting, as it promises to be the greatest in years. The Jockey Club has spared no expense to make its racing plant the equal of any in the country, and visitors to Benning will find the best-equipped track south of New York.

Everything down to the minutest de tall is in readiness. The grounds and surroundings are looking very pretty, the frack is in splendid condition, and trans-portation to and from the track is very good.

There will be six races daily, the first race starting promptly at 3 o'clock.

The action of the Washington Jockey raising the price of admission to \$1.50 and creating a 50-cent field is wide-ly commented on, and has in no small measure disturbed the members of the Metropolitan Turf Association. There are many arguments for and against the 50-cent field, but it is only in the nature of an experiment. If it fails

Washington team, but up to date Hoy has refused to agree upon terms. The Boston and St. Louis clubs, of the American League, are also reported to be seeking his services.

The Remnants' to accomplish the object for which it was intended, it will be abolished. The prime object desiced is to relieve the congestion in the betting ring, and make it possible for heavy investors to their money without the difficulty place their money without the difficulty hitherto experienced when the ring is Nobody will gainsay that the small "piker" has an equal right with a plunger, but it is also a fact that it is the small players who crowd around the bookmakers, and stand there watching the

fluctuations in prices, as if ithey; were They refuse to move, making it almost ssible for other investors to get to the books. If they would put down their money and go, all would be well, but this is exactly what they will not do. If the 50-cent field will do away with this, it will be something very much to be desired, while at the same time it gives the small investor a chance to run

a "shoestring into a bank roll," and con sider himself a genuine sport. It is here where he belongs and from this stand-Point it is a good thing.

The objection made by the members of the M. T. A. is that the taking away of the dollar and two-dollar plays from them akes away the easy, or soft money, and they are left with nothing to handle but

the hard, or wise money. Without the "piter," or soft-money play, they claim, it is impossible to round out a book, and this is just what particularly disturbs The Washington Jockey Club, in raising the price of admitsion, is not aiming to increase its revenue, but in the hope that in May. it will add to the comfort of its patrons and place where they belong a certain will be trained by Vance peculators who, while they hav The experiment has been tried at other tracks with great success, and there is really no reason why it should not be after a short stud season. occessful here. Should it fail it will be

no discredit to the Jockey Club, which is sincere in its desire to please its patrons and those whose every wish is to serve them. It is not what satisfies the Metro poiltan Turf Association, but what pleases the Benning patrons, who, after all, are the real supporters of the track.

### Arrivals at Benning.

Wyndham Walden stable, Middleburg, Mst. (M. Walden, owner and trainer). Blue Delft, ch. f., 2-year-old, by Ornament-Mary M.

Enchance, br. f., 2-year-old, by Galore-First Cherd, b. c., 2-year-old, by Ben rome-Last Ban. Juggernaut, ch. c., 2-year-old, by Star

Red Knight, ch. c., 2 year-old, by Knight of Ellerslie-Belle Daly, Merry Sister, ch. f., 2-year-old, by The

Friar-Merryone
The Hoyden, b. f., 3-year-old; Dolce far Fred Littlefield, Middleburg, Md., owner

Fair Edna, ch. f., 2-year-old, by The Fickle Meric, b. f., 2-year-old, by Mars

Mount Hope, br. c., 2-year-old, by Siler Fox-Cherite. Milltown Stable - Charles Healey,

Garry Butler, owner and trainer. Ninonia, 3-year-old, and Inklings. (harles Reynolds, trainer. Gold Fox, Eloin, and Woodchuck. William French, owner and trainer. Wonderlich, Beggar Lady, and Florad. These last three have been racing a

New Orleans James McLaughlin announces the re irement for good of First Whip and harentus. This is a severe loss to Mr. McLaughlin, as they were both grand race horses, and this season looked very Following are the weights for the Chevy

Hunters to be run at Benning March 31 Frederick L. Huidekoper's b. g. Twi-Reed Knox's b. g. Royal Stag, 8, 163 J. Van Nezs Phillips' b. g. Hari Kari, 6

Chase Hunt Annual Steeplechase for

Clarence Moore's b. g. Masterpiece, 6 James Kerr's b. m. Le Moon, 6, 155 Clarence Moore's ch. g., The Hawk, 6 A. Snyder's ch. g. Rooster, 6, 115

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### THE RACING CALENDAR.

Entries at Oakland. OAKLAND, Cal., March 23.-Entries for

First race-For three-year-olds and upselling; one and one-sixteenth -Howaho, 55; Alas, 166; Valencienne, 111: Loving Cup, 106: Newsgatherer, 108; Str. Rica, 109: Victoria 90; Lief Prince, 107. El Pilar, 97: Candenos, 113; Claire White, 102: Isaline, 111; Little Minch, 113. Second race-For three-year-olds and ipward; selling; seven furlongs.—Imp. M. schultz, 96; Dorain, King Dellis, 113; Kitty Kelly, 110; Rey Dare, 111; Impromptu, 114; Lady Sterling, Rubus, 103; The Sing-er, 110; Even G., 94; Ullon, 108; Antolee,

Third race-For two-year-olds; selling; Third race—For two-year-olds; selling; four furfongs.—Dotterel, 193; Organdie, 194; Delsegno, 195; Guida, Altawan, 193; Don Ami, Arabo, 110; Claringtte, 193; The Phantom, 98; J. H. Bennett, 193; Fire Dance, 192; Escarola, 190.
Fourth race—For three-year-olds and upward; selling; six and one-half furlongs.—Sly, 110; Quiet, 99; Bragg, 190; Waterscratch, 98; Duckoy, 196.
Fifth race—For four-year-olds and upward; handicap; one and one-sixteenth miles.—Colonel Balentine, 194; The Frot-miles.—Colonel Balentine, 194; The Frot-m

miles.—Colonel Balentine, 104; The Fret-ter, 108; Position, 112; Frangible, 95. Sixth race—For three-year-olds and upward; selling; one mile and fifty vards El Mido, Lento, 106; Malaise, 104; Mar-ahal Niel, 105; Galanthus, 102; Merengo, 106; Kickumbob, 103; Hungarian, Free Lance, 109; Light Ball, 105; Lou Welsea, 98; Limelight, 106

#### Oakland Selections.

First race-Loving Cup, Lief Prince, race-Rubus, Dorian, romptu. Third race—Delsegno, Dotterell, Arabo.

Fourth race—Quiet, Duckory, Sly. Fifth race—Janice, The Fretter, Col. Sixth race-Lento, Hungarian, Galan-

#### Entries at Little Rock. LITTLE ROCK, March 23.-Entries for

omorrow's races: First race-For three-year-olds and up-

ward; selling; five and a half furlongs. Man, 91; Cadet, 95; Small Jack, 99; Little Chico, 100; Miss Guido, 101; Miss Edd, 102; Ragnarott II, Boundlee, Fred Hes-sig, 104; High Jinks, 187; Horseshoe Toacco, 111; Braw Lad, 115.

Second race—For three-year-olds; four furlongs. Lady Gallantry, Samle Mac, Rainey C. Eva Russell, Bird Slayer, 105; Martin Brady, Rococo, Henry McDaniel, Mallory, 108. Mallory, 198.
Third race—For three-year-olds and upward; selling; six furlongs. Orla, 95; Schwalb, 98; Syncopated Sandy, Ben Hullum, 190; Lovable, 197; Trico, 192; Harry Wilson, Prue Wood, Curd Gilloch, 195; Miss Conrad, Salinda, 196; The Bronze Demon 197.
Fourth race—The Askanson Deshale.

Fourth race-The Arkansas Derby: for hree-year-olds; one mile. Florrie S., 97; ingo, 102; Hainault, 104; Prowl, St. Tam-nany, 107; Huntressa, Herodiade, Flora

omona, 112. Fifth race—For four-year-olds and up-ward; seven furlongs, Meekest, 191; Or-leans, 98; H. L. Coleman, 97; B. G. Fox, 196; Brigade, 111; Dawey, 97; Cogswell, 190; Kenova, 98; Choice, 193; Carl Kahler, 190; Way Taron, 118 100. Wax Taper, 118. Sixth race—For three-year-olds and upward: selling; one mile and seventy yards. Varner, 97; Gilbert, 104; Pay the Fiddler, 109, Josie J., 97; Chickadee, 101; Walkenshaw, 118; Avalar, Round Turn, 109; Plead, 103; Missile, 100; Algle M., 104;

#### Ef Caney, 112, Lititle Rock Selections

First race—Braw Lad, Horseshoe To-acco, High Jinks. Second race-Lady Gallantry, Rococo, Eva Russell.

Third race-Oria, Ben Hullum, The Bronze Demon. Fourth race-Strode entry, Prowl, Flora Fifth race-Carl Kahler, Choice, Brig-Sixth race-Plead, Chickadee, Algie M.

HORSES AND THEIR RIDERS. The spring meeting at Prospect Park, Baltimore, Md., will be held the last week

Chehalis, 2:60%, will be raced again You Bet, 2.11%, the California owned borse, will go through the Grand Cir-

cuit this year. Eben Clark will handle a string at Bel-D. P. S. Nichols is working his fast pair,

Linetta and Spot Cash, for the opening of the matinee season. Both horses can step Nelso, 2:09, recently dead, was the winner of eighty-seven heats in 2:30 or better. William C. Whitney's filly Endurance

by Right, which has been so seriously ill for the last week, is improving consider A sister to Cresceus, 2:024, and a sister to Bingen, 2:044, recently purchased by Hon, Sterling R. Holt, of Indianapolis,

will be bred to Rex Americus. George V. Haskins, of Chicago, the promoter of the race track about to be built at Buffalo, has announced that the Buffalo Derby, to be run in June, will have a guarantee value of \$8,000 and the entrance

The itinerary for Cresceus' campaign the coming season is as follows: August 21, Indianapolis; August 28, Dayton, Ohio; September 4, Albany, N. Y.; September 11, Syracuse, N. Y.; September 25, Phila-

delphia; October 2 and 9, open; October deiphia, October 2 and 3, open, October 16, Memphia, Tenn > October 23, Birmingham, Ala.; October 20, Atlanta, Ga.; November 6, Montgomery, Ala.; November 13, Mobile, Ala.; November 27, Havana,

There is a strong probability that Ballyhoo Bey, W. C. Whitney's Futurity winner in 1900, will be seen with colors up again this year, as he is in strong work on the farm in the West. Bianche Sloan, sister of Tod Sloan, the jockey, is authority for the statement that her brother has become a benedict

French girls in all Paris. Lucien Lyne, the jockey, has been en gaged to ride the best horses in the stable which Enoch Wishard is training for John A. Drake, the well-known Chicago turfman.

and that his bride is one of the prettiest

The oldest living thoroughbred brood mare in this country or Europe is Hallet, now thirty one years old. She is at Geo H. Clay's, near Lexington. Her daughter, Modesty, won \$50,000 in purses Jockey Heinrichs, who was suspended at the Bay District track in 1896, in con-

nection with the "Little Pete" scandal, has been reinstated by the California Jockey Club. He is too heavy to ride in this country, but may go to Europe. Banastar's recent lameness alarmed his trainer so much that Dr. Sheppard was summoned to Monmouth Park, and after

an examination found that the noted

horse's front feet were in a very bad con-dition. It is said that it will take great skill and patience to get the horse to the post this season. The New York Trotting Association has arranged with the Horse Review Company of Chicago to have their purse for three-year-olds decided at the Seaside meeting at Brighton Beach track during the week at Brighton Beach track during the week of August 11 to 16. This Horse Review purse is worth \$6,000, divided into two

sections, \$5,000 for trotting foals of 1899, and \$1,000 for pacers of the same age. "Le Jockey," of Paris says the commit tee of the Jockey Club has suspended W. B. Buchanan, the American jockey, for one month, for disobedience of the orders of the starter at Maison Laffitte.

The Atlanta, Ga., city council has re-fused to permit pool selling at Piedmont Park. Joe Ullman and A. E. Wall, of Hot Springs, Ark., recently took a five-year lease on the track for winter running meetings, conditional upon bookmaking being allowed.

One of the most attractive two-yearolds at the Memphis track is a colt by Ponce de Leon, 2:13, in Scott McCoy's string. He was bred in the Bitter Root stud, and they call him Keener.

In Geers' stable at Memphis are On-ward Silver, 2:08; The Monk, 2:08%; Fred S. Wedgowood, 2:08%; Shadow Chimes, 2:06%; The Abbot, 2:03%, and several green ones by Chimes and Dare Devil. Charter Oak Park, Hartford, Conn., has

opened six early closing events for its Grand Circuit meeting, three for trotters and the same number for pacers. The classes and purses are as follows: For trotters-The Charter Oak. 2.11 class. \$10,000; 2:19 class, \$3,000, and 2:30 class, \$3,000. For pacers—2:09 class, \$3,000; 2:16 class, \$3,000, and 2:30 class, \$3,000. Telescope has been declared out of all the races for which he was entered be-cause it is feared that he has not recov-

ered from the injury to his leg that he suffered last year. Telescope belongs to James R. Keene and William Lakeland. He was entered under Mr. Keene's name for a number of the early races, including the Metropolitan Handicap. J. B. Haggin, of Louisville, has secured the services of Jockey Lee Jackson, under contract this year to ride for Henry Ziegler, of Cincinnati. Ziegler paid \$5,000 for the jockey's services this season, and in allowing Mr. Haggin to have first call upon him, he gets even more than that amount. He will ride for Green B.

Morris' division of the Haggin stable The death on Thursday of the promi-nent sire Electric Bell, by Electioneer, out of Beautiful Bells, a dam who has ten in the list, occurred last week. Elec tric Bell was a full brother to Chimes, the sire of The Abbot (2:03%). He was about twelve years old and belonged to

The Great Western Circuit was orga-nized last week in Chicago with the fol-lowing members: Joliet, III., June 24 to Schley Pointer, 2:16%, by Star Pointer, 27; Pekin, III., July 1 to 4; Minneapolis, Minn. July 8 Minn. July 1 to 4: St. Paul, Minn. July 8 to 11: Davenport, Ia., July 8 to 11: a week to 11: Davenport, Ia., July 8 to 11: a week is left for the Detroit meeting; Des Moines, Ia., July 22 to 25: Freeport, Ill., August 12 to 15; Galesburg, Ill., August 19 to 22; Columbus Junction, Ia., August 26 to 29; Hamline Minn, September 1 to 6; Milwaukee, Wis., September 9 to 12; Indianapolis, Ind., September 16 to 2; Joliet, Ill., September 23 to 28; Springfield, III., September 29 to October 4. Between Des Moines and Freeport two weeks are open, and it is expected that Men-dota, III., and Independence, Ia., will take

Quakers Arrive at Norfolk. NORFOLK, Va., March 23.-Philadelphia's National League team arrived here this morning by Clyde Line steamer. They leave for Washington, N. C., tomorrow.

The National Association of Amateur

They will practice there.

champion, for the Henley regatta, and Secretary Fortmeyer has been instructed to inform the Henley authorities as to the sculler's good standing as an ama-teur both here and under the Henley rules. The association in response to an appeal from the Olympian games committee, agreed to give it all possible sup-port at Chicago next year. A committee of five was appointed to define a junior and an intermediate oarsman, so that the question should be beyond cavil in the

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# COMMERCE OF THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS

Comparison of Total Value of Imports for Two Years.

### AGRICULTURAL EXPORTATION

Increase Last Year, of Which Hemp Was the Leading Article-Manufactures and Products of the Mines and Forests Also

The insular Division of the War Department has prepared for publication the following extract from its regular monthly bulletin, showing in comparative form the commerce of the Philippine Islands for the nine months ended Sep-

tember 30, 1901 and 1900. The total value of merchandise imported during the nine months ended September 20, 1901, was \$21,818,212, as against \$17,-187,991 for the corresponding period of 1909, and the exports of merchandise during the nine months ended September 30, amounted to \$18,866,798, as against

\$17,883,200 for the same period of 1900. These figures show an increase of 27 per cent for the imports and 6 per cent for the exports.

#### Gold and Silver Importations.

Gold and silver were imported during the pine months of 1901 to the value of \$2,032,644, same period of 1900 \$2,363,291; exported during the 1901 period \$736,167,

corresponding period of 1500 \$2,222,807. The value of merchandise coming from the United States for the nine months ended September 30, 1901, was \$2,712,190, an increase of \$1,140,215 over the corresponding period of 1900, while the exports for the period of 1901 amounted to \$2,737,-

### Comparison by Classes.

In the comparison by classes for these periods the import figures show an inrease of nearly \$600,000 in articles of food and animals, this class of merchandise amounting to \$5,881,261 for the nine months of 1901; manufactured articles during the period of 1901 were imported to the value of \$12,708,719, a gain of about \$3,400,000; raw materials show an approximate increase of \$550,000, or 140 per cent; a slight increase is ≥hown in the importation of articles of voluntary use.

luxuries, etc.
Agricultural experts for the periods mentioned show an increase over 1900, the exportation during the nine months of 1901 amounting to \$15,198,783, of which \$11,681,547 is credited to hemp, the leading article of export. Manufactures increased from \$1.040,008 in 1900 to \$1.854,974 in 1901, while the products of the mines and forests show a decided increase in favor

#### of the nine months of 1901. UPPERCUTS AND PUNCHES.

Frank Erne, it is reported, is considering studying dentistry at Northwestern

Joe Choynski and Eddie Carter have signed articles to meet before the Ameri-can Athletic Club in Chicago tomorrow

"Terrible Terry's" brother, Hughey Mc-Govern, has blossomed into a first-class 115-pound mit artist. Harry Forbes and Tommy Feltz are having a long-distance argument regarding another bout. Forbes claims his hands are in bad shape.

Dave Sullivan has posted a \$1,000 for-A. L. Butt, of Gettysburg, Pa. Among his feit for a return fight with McGovern at get was Captor (2:00%), who was a sensation last year and a big money winner.

Ching-Fong, the Chinese bastam-weight Ching-Fong, the Chinese bantam-weight

> Jack Root has been matched to box Gardiner, the Lowell middle

weight. They will meet before the Wa-bash Club, of Chicago, April 9. At Fort Erie on Monday night it began arose, but Supples was too anxious and lost an opportunity to finish Frank Erne. Jack Dorman, of New York, the boy who made such a good showing Monday night at the Washington Athletic Club, of Phia-

delphia, with Sammy Smith, is under the nanagement of Isldore Strauss. Count Boni de Castellane is reported to have wagered 100,000 francs that McCoy will defeat either Jeffries or Fitzsimmons match can be arranged.

\*George Dixon is anxious to go to England and fight the best featherweight there during coronation week. The erst-while champion featherweight prefers to meet Jack Roberts above all other Eng-Oarsmen has endorsed Titus, the national

lish "feathers," as he regards him as the best man in his class in England. The Pyramid Club, of Chicago, has offered a \$600 purse for a bout between Tim Callahan, the Philadelphia feather, who is now in that city, and Tommy Sullivan. Callahan was considering an offer to box Sullivan at Louisville on March 28, but month and meets "Kid" Broad at Denver early in April.

